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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE  
RESPONSE/AMENDMENT

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an AMENDMENT for the patent application:

Application No. : 09/965,113  
Applicant(s) : Lin, et al.  
Filed : September 26, 2001  
Title : IMPROVED EMULSIFIER SYSTEMS FOR USE IN MAKING  
DEHYDRATED STARCH INGREDIENTS  
TC/A.U. : 1761  
Examiner : L. T. Tran  
Conf. No. : 3953  
Docket No. : 8258X  
Customer No. : 27752

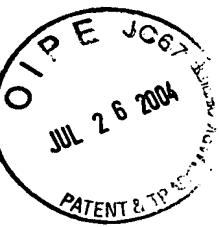
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**AMENDMENT & RESPONSE PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. 1.111**

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Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated May 13, 2004, which provides a three (3) month period for response. No fees are believed to be due.

Please amend the claims in the manner described, and consider the accompanying remarks.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the Claims Listing beginning on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.